

The
CANADIAN WINTER
CARNIVAL



Sponsored by

The Ski Club of Sir George Williams College

Assisted by ASSOCIATION SPORTIF DE SHAWBRIDGE

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February 3, 4, 1940

SOUVENIR PROGRAMME • 5 CENTS

THE CANADIAN WINTER CARNIVAL

under the distinguished patronage of

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SHAWBRIDGE — FEBRUARY 3 & 4, 1940

This marks the sixth successive winter that a Carnival has been staged at Shawbridge. The five previous events have been purely ice carnivals, and have been produced by the 'Association Sportif de Shawbridge'. Thus, while the 1940 edition of the Winter Carnival is not an entirely new idea, it is the first year in which the event has been staged in such proportions—skiing not having been included in the programme before. It is with high hopes that the Ski Club of Sir George Williams College joins with the Shawbridge association in presenting to the public 'The Canadian Winter Carnival'.

The 'Association Sportif de Shawbridge' has been functioning for about six years and has as its objective the promotion of winter sports in that locality. The president of this group is Mr. Paul Renaud.

The Sir George Williams College Ski Club has been organized for several years and has as its objective the promotion of skiing among the students. The Georgians have centered themselves at Shawbridge and have taken over the old Viking downhill and jump and have also cut several new cross-country trails around Shawbridge.

COMMITTEES IN CHARGE OF CARNIVAL

Director-Producer — BOB HOLMES

Ice Programme.....James McMahon, Emery St. Pierre and Richard Shepard

Decorations.....Norman Rogers, Paul Renaud, Bill Barton and Alan Watson

*Competitions.....Mario Gabriel, Grahame Watt, Gordon James,
Ray Conrath and Olaf Meyer*

Publicity and Programme.....William Trent and Olaf Meyer

*Reservations.....Dave Whyte, Doris Broderick, George Dundass and
Keith Clarke*

Trophies.....Bob Holmes

P R O G R A M M E

Saturday, February 3

- 3.00 P.M. Cross Country Race (All Classes)
8.00 P.M. Opening of Ice Carnival (*O Canada*)
Overture—O Canada
8.05 P.M. Lighting of the Ice Palace.
Illumination du Palais.
8.10 P.M. Exhibition Skating
Patinage d'exhibition
8.20 P.M. Presentation of Carnival Queen (Crowning ceremony)
Présentation de la reine du Carnaval
8.40 P.M. Figure Skating
Patinage de fantaisie
9.20 P.M. Broomball game (Sir George vs Shawbridge)
Partie de ballon sans patin avec balais
9.40 P.M. Masquerade (Prizes)
Mascarade (Prix)
10.10 P.M. Fireworks
Feu artificiel
10.40 P.M. Torchlight Parade and sleigh drive
Parade aux flambeaux et tour de traineau
11.10 P.M. Dancing on rink and at Morin's Hall
Dansant sur la patinoire et à Salle Morin

Sunday, February 4

- 9.30 A.M. Open air church service at Georgian downhill
Service en plein air
(Rev. A. Anderson officiating)
10.00 A.M. Down hill race (all classes)
12.00 (noon) Dinner
1.30 P.M. Slalom race (all classes)
5.00 P.M. Supper
6.00 P.M. Presentation of prizes
Présentation des prix

CARNIVAL NOTES

The presence of the Montreal Figure Skating Club Inc. is through the courtesy of Mr. Lockerby, president of the Club, and the generosity of the 'Association Sportif de Shawbridge'. All skating items on the programme are being executed by the Club as well as the routine featured in the presentation of the Carnival Queen.

The Carnival Queen, whose picture appears on the cover of this programme is Geraldine Walsh, a second year student in the Commerce faculty of Sir George Williams College. Miss Walsh was selected as queen by a college-wide poll held in December. The photograph is by Norman Rogers.

COMPETITIVE SKIERS — ATTENTION

All ski events have been divided into two classes, open and closed. The 'open' class will be run in two sections, those eighteen and under and those nineteen and over. The 'closed' class will include a class for Intercollegiate skiers and one for members of the Georgian Ski Club. The races for women will be in two classes, open and closed (for members of the Georgian Ski Club).

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

The organizers of the Carnival wish to thank—

MR. M. RICHER, Montreal Furrier, for the loan of the furs being used by the Carnival Queen.

'YOUR SKI SHOP', 5362 Sherbrooke St., Montreal, for the use of certain ski equipment.

The Board of Governors of Sir George Williams College for their donation of two of the trophies being awarded in the ski races.

PERRY BEDBROOKE, for organizing and directing the 'Carnival Band'.